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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION  
UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231  
Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

INVENTOR: Frank C. CHESTON, III, Patricia V. HATTON  
FOR: SYSTEM FOR OBTAINING FORWARDING INFORMATION FOR  
ELECTRONIC SYSTEM USING SPEECH RECOGNITION

Enclosed are:

- 46 pages of specification, claims, abstract.  
 Declaration and Power of Attorney.  
 Priority Claimed.  
 Certified copy of \_\_\_\_\_  
 3 sheets of formal drawing.  
 An assignment of the invention to Bell Atlantic Network Services, Inc.  
and the assignment recordation fee.  
 An associate power of attorney.  
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27.  
 Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449 and reference.  
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 Preliminary Amendment

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

|                             | NO. OF CLAIMS | EXTRA CLAIMS | RATE    | AMOUNT     |
|-----------------------------|---------------|--------------|---------|------------|
| Total Claims                | 43            | -20          | \$18.00 | \$414.00   |
| Independent Claims          | 4             | -3           | \$78.00 | \$78.00    |
| Multiple Dependent Claim(s) |               |              |         | \$0.00     |
| Basic Fee                   |               |              |         | \$760.00   |
| Total of Above Calculations |               |              |         | \$1,252.00 |
| Less ½ for Small Entity     |               |              |         | \$0.00     |
| Assignment & Recording Fee  |               |              |         | \$40.00    |
| Total Fee                   |               |              |         | \$1,292.00 |

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